

Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development**Grants to Municipalities (AS 37.05.315)****Grant Recipient: Anchorage****Project Title:**

Anchorage - Rogers Park Elementary School Multi-Purpose Room Retrofitting

State Funding Requested: \$ 20,000**House District: 24 - L**

One-Time Need

Brief Project Description:

Funds would be used to retrofit the multipurpose room to function as additional PE space

Funding Plan:**Total Cost of Project: \$20,000**Funding Secured*Amount FY*Other Pending Requests*Amount FY*Anticipated Future Need*Amount FY*

There is no other funding needed

Detailed Project Description and Justification:

This grant provides Rogers Park Elementary with funding to retrofit the school's multipurpose room with gym equipment to function as an additional physical education space. These funds would be used primarily to install basketball height adjusters, pull-up bars, and gym-safe lighting. This grant would improve the school's P.E. instructional program and promote healthy lifestyles for the school's students.

Project Timeline:

Project would be completed for the 2008-2009 school year.

Entity Responsible for the Ongoing Operation and Maintenance of this Project:

Anchorage School District

Grant Recipient Contact Information:

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Senator Johnny Ellis
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Representative Berta Gardner
State of Alaska
State Capitol, Room 422
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Representative Les Gara
State of Alaska
State Capitol, Room 500
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Dear Senator Ellis and Representative Gardner and Representative Gara:

The purpose of this letter is to request specific support of the legislature to assist with funding for the 2008-2009 school year.

In order to support the additional P.E. class time that will be added to Rogers Park next school year, it is necessary to retrograde the multipurpose room to a permanent physical education facility by adding basketball height adjusters, pull-up bars, safe lighting, and other equipment. Improving the multipurpose room with additional equipment will support the increase of 30 minutes of P.E. time per classroom in the 2008-2009 school year.

Thank you for your attention to these needs and requests.

Sincerely,

Ed Graff
Principal